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Subject: Oil and Grease in Bear Creek

Mark,

Oil and grease for BC-1, BC-2, and BC-3 was reported as 0 (zero) mg/L for Aug. Is this correct, or should it have been < xxx, with xxx = whatever the MDL was?

Also, I didn't catch it in reviewing the 2nd Qtr data, but oil and grease values were not reported for these same three sites for May. Do you have those analysis results?

I also notice oil and grease is not measured at SBC-9A because it is ground water. Water from SBC-9A that is not used in your water system, if there is any, is checked for oil and grease before being discharged to Bear Creek at UPDES point -004, but with the abandoned equipment underground near the water supply, oil and grease should probably be checked at SBC-9A for your own benefit. Is a test for oil and grease or other hydrocarbons in your drinking water parameter list... has Div of Drinking Water brought this up?

JIM

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